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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re application of

Seung Kuk AHN

Group Art Unit: 2673

Application No.: 09/654,943

Examiner: Vincent KOVALICK

Filed: September 1, 2000

For:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DRIVING LIQUID CRYSTAL

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Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

In response to an Office Action dated December 13, 2002, the following remarks are respectfully submitted.

REMARKS

At the outset, the Examiner is thanked for the thorough review and consideration of the subject application. The Office Action of December 13, 2002 has been received and contents carefully reviewed.

In the Office Action, the Examiner rejected claims 1-7 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over <u>Kim</u> (U.S. Pat. No. 6,342,876) in view of <u>Okumura et al.</u> (U.S. Pat. No. 5,945,972); rejected claims 8 and 9 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over <u>Kim</u> in view of <u>Okumura et al.</u> as applied to claim 7, and further in view of <u>An et al.</u> (U.S. Pat. No. 6,335,719). The aforementioned rejections are traversed and reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.